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| APPLN. NO.:  | 10/674,163                | ATTY. DOCKET NO.:                              | EVG-176US1     |
| TITLE OF APPLN.: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR WITHDRAWING PERMEATE THROUGH A FILTER AND FOR CLEANING THE FILTER IN SITU |                           |  |                |
| FILING DATE:   | 09/29/03                  | ART UNIT:                                      | 1723           |
| FIRST INVENTOR:  | Michael A. DeVecchio      | CONF. NO.:                                     | 1911           |
| TITLE OF DOCUMENT:   |                           | Amendment and Information Disclosure Statement |                |

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